

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Patent Application No. 10/555,729

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Applicant: Nie et al.

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Examiner: Leon Yun Bon Lum

Docket No.: 239659 (Client Reference No. 0215-US)

Customer No.: 23460

TRANSMITTAL OF APPELLANTS' BRIEF ON APPEAL

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In accordance with 37 CFR 41.37, Appellant(s) hereby submit Appellants' Brief on Appeal.

The items checked below are appropriate:

1. Status of Appellant(s)

This application is on behalf of ☐ other than a small entity or ☒ a small entity.

2. Fee for Filing Brief on Appeal

Pursuant to 37 CFR 41.20(2), the fee for filing the Brief on Appeal is for:
☐ other than a small entity or ☒ a small entity.

Brief Fee Due \$270.00

3. Oral Hearing

☐ Appellant(s) request(s) an oral hearing in accordance with 37 CFR 41.47.
A separate paper requesting oral hearing is attached.

4. Extension of Time

- ☒ Appellants petition for a one-month extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136, the fee for which is \$65.00.
- ☐ Appellants believe that no extension of time is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that appellants have inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.

Extension fee due with this request: \$65.00

5. Total Fee Due

The total fee due is:

Brief on Appeal Fee	\$270.00
Less Brief on Appeal Fee already paid	
Request for Oral Hearing	\$ 0.00
Extension Fee (if any)	\$65.00

Total Fee Due: \$335.00

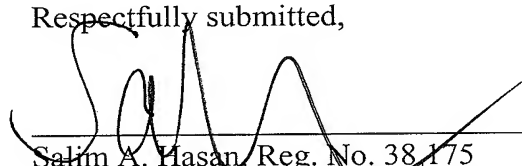
6. Fee Payment

- ☐ Attached is a check in the sum of \$
- ☒ Charge Account No. 12-1216 the sum of \$335.00.

7. Fee Deficiency.

- ☒ If any additional fee is required in connection with this communication, charge Account No. 12-1216.

Respectfully submitted,



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